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Applicants: Caspi, et al.  
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Title: **SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR**

**ALTERNATIVE PRESENCE**  
**REPORTING SYSTEM**

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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Applicant hereby requests continued examination, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.114,  
for the above-identified application.

TIME REQUEST IS BEING MADE

1. Prosecution on this application being closed (under either appeal, final action, notice of  
allowance, or other prosecution closing action), this request is being submitted prior to the  
earliest of:

- i. ☒ Abandonment of the application.
- ii. ☐ Payment of issue fee, or
- iii. ☐ Issue fee has been paid but a petition under 37 C.F.R. §1.313 has been granted.
- iv. ☐ Filing of a notice of appeal to the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit  
under 35 U.S.C. §1.313, or commencement of a civil action under 35 U.S.C. 145 or 146, unless  
the appeal or civil action is terminated.
- iv. ☐ A decision on appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals & Interferences (this RCE is  
to be treated as a request to withdraw the appeal and to reopen prosecution of the application)  
- A notice is being separately sent to the Board of Patent Appeals & Interferences that this RCE  
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SUBMISSIONS AND ENCLOSURES

2. Enclosed herewith is/are:
- i. ☒ **A Petition for Extension of Time for two (2) month(s).**
- ii. ☐ The enclosed Preliminary Amendment.
- iii. ☒ **Please enter the previously unentered Amendment faxed 4 Nov. 2008.**  
A copy ☐ is or ☒ is not provided herein.
- iv. ☐ An Information Disclosure Statement (37 C.F.R. §1.98) with PTO-1449 and \_\_\_\_\_ copies of references.
- v. ☐ New arguments or new evidence in support of patentability.
- vi. ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

FEE FOR REQUEST REQUIRED BY 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e)

3. ☒ Filing fee has been calculated as shown below (other than small entity) after entering the previous amendment and/or currently submitted amendment as may be applicable:


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Total Claims	19 - 25	= 0	x \$50 =	\$ 0.00
Indep. Claims	5 - 5	= 0	x \$210 =	\$ 0.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Multiple Dependent Claims Present			+ \$370 =	\$ 0.00
			Basic filing fee	\$ 810.00
			Total	\$ 810.00

4. ☒ A credit card payment form including the amount of the fee is enclosed.

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